

HOUSE RESOLUTION 255

By Littleton

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Dr. Tamara C. Baynham upon her receipt of the 2018 Trailblazer Award.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this legislative body should salute those citizens who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is Dr. Tamara C. Baynham, who recently received the 2018 Trailblazer Award at the 7th Annual Black History Trailblazer Awards Banquet held at the Tennsco Community Center in Dickson; and

WHEREAS, a native of Charlotte, Dr. Tamara Baynham is a 1989 graduate of Dickson County Senior High School; she earned an undergraduate degree in Biomedical and Electrical Engineering at Vanderbilt University and received her Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy degrees in Biomedical Engineering with a specialization in Cardiac Electrophysiology at the University of Alabama at Birmingham; and

WHEREAS, a leader in her field, Dr. Baynham has more than fifteen years of medical device industry experience in intellectual property development and clinical research and development; she holds more than forty patents granted by the United States Patent and Trademark Office and the European Patent Office and has more than twenty patents pending worldwide; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Tamara Baynham epitomizes the spirit and commitment that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, the members of this legislative body find it appropriate to pause in their deliberations to acknowledge and applaud Dr. Baynham for her dedication to the State of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor and congratulate Dr. Tamara C. Baynham upon her receipt of the 2018 Trailblazer Award, applaud her untiring efforts toward improving the health and well-being of her community and this State, and extend to her our best wishes for every continued success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.